

## THE DISTRICT'S



# FALL - WINTER COLLECTIONS

November 1, 2004 - January 8, 2005



- Autumn Leaves
- Household Hazards
- Holiday Trees





Government of the District of Columbia  
Anthony A. Williams, Mayor

## 2004 Fall Leaf Collection in the District of Columbia


The Department of Public Works will collect leaves from November 1, 2004 through January 8, 2005. **Here are your three options for collection:**


- 1) Rake loose leaves into piles in your curbside treebox space. They will be collected with a vacuum trailer;
- 2) Place bagged leaves in your curbside treebox space and they will be collected by a packer truck; or
- 3) If you have alley trash collection, you may place bagged leaves where you put your trash. Those leaves will be collected with the trash.


 **We strongly encourage you to take advantage of the first option.** DPW's vacuum trucks can collect loose leaves more quickly, providing you with better service.

 **Rake loose leaves into a pile in the treebox space in front of your property, not into the street.** Leaves in the street create parking and fire hazards.

 **Rake leaves into treebox spaces by the Sunday prior to your street's scheduled collection.**

 **Please – Leaves only.** No tree limbs, bricks, dirt, rocks, etc. They will damage the equipment.

 **Leaves from the rear of your property may be bagged and placed in the front treebox area or wherever your trash is normally collected.** Residents should remember, however, that trash collection service takes priority. If you have alley trash collection and you place a large number of bagged leaves in the alley, it may take several weeks for all of the bags to be collected. Please be patient. We will collect everything.

 **DPW will vacuum leaves at least twice from each street during "leaf season".** Please locate your neighborhood on one of the ward maps and follow the listed schedule for your neighborhood.

- On the first pass, crews will focus on vacuuming treebox spaces and clearing potentially hazardous situations. A more thorough cleaning will occur on subsequent passes.
- Note that some neighborhoods are on a one-week schedule while others are on a two-week schedule this year.**
- No collections will be made on these holidays:** Christmas Day, December 25th; New Year's Day, January 1st.
- There **will be** collections made on Veterans Day, November 11th; Thanksgiving Day, November 25th.
- Neighborhood schedules have been developed based on past leaf falls but, no two seasons are exactly the same. Please be patient. We will collect everything.**
- If we get an early season snow, scheduled service will be delayed. Leaf collection crews and equipment are also used to clear streets of snow.

## SELF-SERVICE DISPOSAL OF LEAVES AT FORT TOTTEN

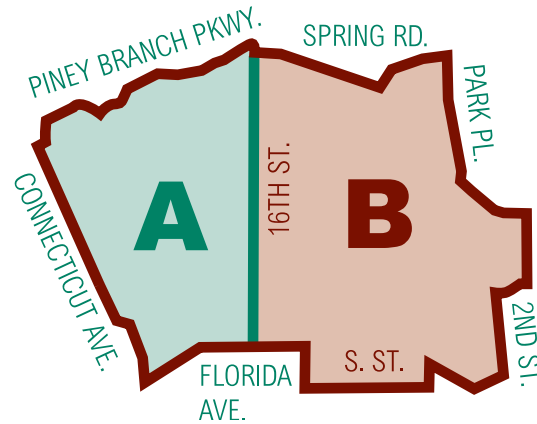
Leaves may also be disposed of **free** at the Fort Totten Trash Transfer Station, located at 4900 Bates Road, NE. Fort Totten is open to residents Monday to Friday from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM and Saturday from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Call (202) 576-6803 for more details.

## HOLIDAY TREES PICK-UP

Holiday trees and wreaths will be picked up, **January 3th to January 7th**. Remove all decorations and place your holiday greenery in front of your home **at the curb** by Sunday, January 2th.

Any trees not put out for collection by January 2 can be set out with your trash. Trees will be picked up as space in the trash trucks allow over the following few weeks.

## WARD 1



### Area A

*West side of 16th Street, N.W. to Connecticut Ave.*

#### Rake Leaves

<b>Out By Sunday:</b>	<b>For Collection From:</b>
October 31	November 1 to 12
November 28	November 29 to December 10

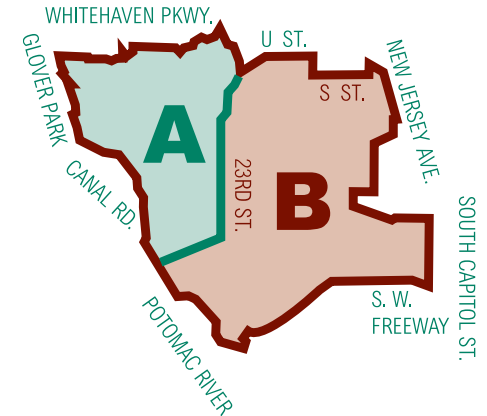
### Area B

*East side of 16th Street, N.W.*

#### Rake Leaves

<b>Out By Sunday:</b>	<b>For Collection From:</b>
November 14	November 15 to 19
December 12	December 13 to 17

## WARD 2



### Area A

*West side of 23rd Street, N.W.*

#### Rake Leaves

<b>Out By Sunday:</b>	<b>For Collection From:</b>
October 31	November 1 to 12
November 28	November 29 to December 10

### Area B

*East side of 23rd Street, N.W.*

#### Rake Leaves

<b>Out By Sunday:</b>	<b>For Collection From:</b>
November 14	November 15 to 19
December 12	December 13 to 17

## GOOD TO KNOW...

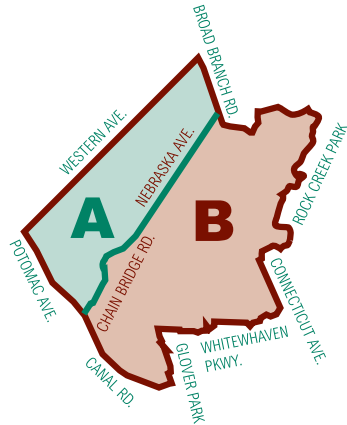
### WATER POLLUTION

Proper disposal of leaves, household hazardous waste and litter cuts down on storm drain pollution that harm our waterways.

### CALL FOR A BULK TRASH PICK-UP

DPW collects bulky items, such as furniture, major appliances and tires, from residences that also receive city trash collection service. To make an appointment for a bulk trash collection, call (202) 727-1000.

## WARD 3



### Area A

West side of Nebraska Avenue, Loughboro Road and Chain Bridge Road, N.W.

#### Rake Leaves

##### Out By Sunday:

October 31  
November 28  
January 2

##### For Collection From:

November 2 to 13  
November 29 to December 11  
January 3 to January 8

### Area B

East side of Nebraska Avenue, Loughboro Road and Chain Bridge Road, N.W.

#### Rake Leaves

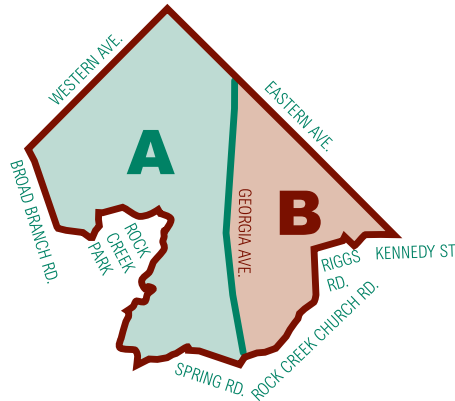
##### Out By Sunday:

November 14  
December 12  
January 2

##### For Collection From:

November 15 to 27  
December 13 to 25  
January 3 to 8

## WARD 4



### Area A

West side of Georgia Avenue, N.W.

#### Rake Leaves

##### Out By Sunday:

November 7  
December 5  
January 2

##### For Collection From:

November 8 to 20  
December 6 to 18  
January 3 to January 8

### Area B

East side of Georgia Avenue, N.W.

#### Rake Leaves

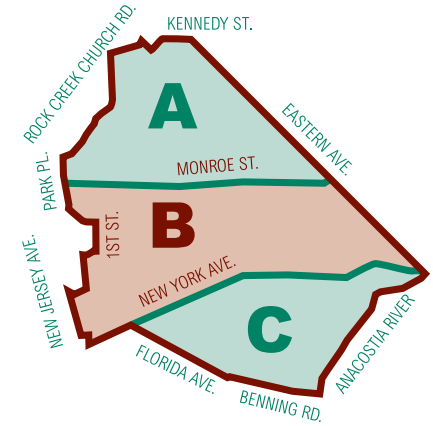
##### Out By Sunday:

November 21  
December 19  
January 2

##### For Collection From:

November 22 to December 4  
December 20 to 31  
January 3 to 8

## WARD 5



### Area A

North side of Monroe Street, N.E.

#### Rake Leaves

##### Out By Sunday:

October 31  
November 28

##### For Collection From:

November 1 to 5  
November 29 to December 3

### Area B

South side of Monroe Street, N.E. to North side of New York Avenue, N.E.

#### Rake Leaves

##### Out By Sunday:

November 7  
December 5

##### For Collection From:

November 8 to 19  
December 6 to 17

### Area C

South side of New York Avenue, N.E.

#### Rake Leaves

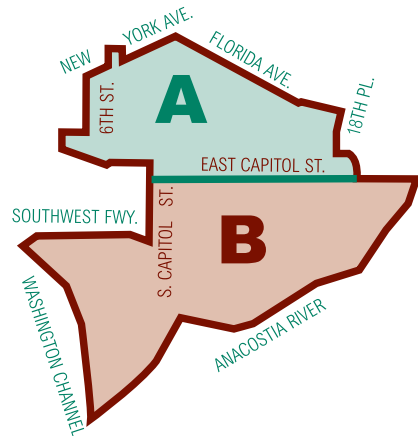
##### Out By Sunday:

November 21  
December 19

##### For Collection From:

November 22 to 26  
December 20 to 24

## WARD 6



### Area A

North side of East Capitol Street, N.E.

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday:**      **For Collection From:**

October 31	November 1 to 12
December 5	December 6 to 17

### Area B

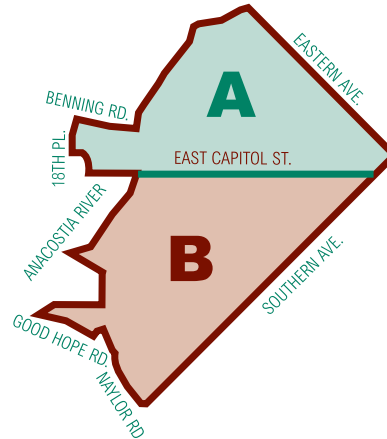
South side of East Capitol Street, S.E.

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday:**      **For Collection From:**

November 14	November 15 to 26
December 19	December 20 to 31

## WARD 7



### Area A

North side of East Capitol Street, N.E.

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday:**      **For Collection From:**

October 31	November 1 to 12
November 28	November 29 to December 10

### Area B

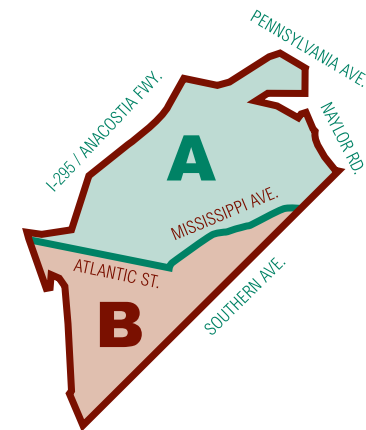
South side of East Capitol Street, S.E.

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday:**      **For Collection From:**

November 14	November 15 to 26
December 12	December 13 to 24

## WARD 8



### Area A

North side of Atlantic Street and Mississippi Avenue, S.E.

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday:**      **For Collection From:**

November 7	November 8 to 19
December 5	December 6 to 17

### Area B

South side of Atlantic Street and Mississippi Avenue, S.E.

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday:**      **For Collection From:**

November 21	November 22 to 26
December 19	December 20 to 24

## When Is The Next Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event?

The next Household Hazardous Waste Collection event is **Saturday, October 23, 2004** at the **Carter Barron Amphitheatre Parking Lot**.

The hours of operation are between **9:00 AM and 3:00 PM**. In addition to caustic chemicals, paints, batteries and other products, residents may bring **electronics, computers and computer components** to the household hazardous waste collection site. Monitors and televisions must be intact -not cracked or broken. **Call 727-1000 for more information or visit [www.dpw.dc.gov](http://www.dpw.dc.gov)**

